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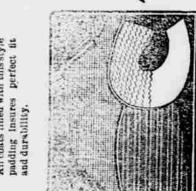
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twenty years with the Southern Pa- & Pacific railroad was out below El cific, and Miss Mattie Tutt, a charming Chicago girl, were united in marriage at 4:00 p. m., Saturday by Rev. H. W. Mcore of the Presbyterian church, at

the San Antonio street residence of En- night from Missouri points. He is on gineer Love of the Southern Pacific. A pleasant feature in connection couple have known each other since 3d.—Las Vegas Optic. childhood, and the general circumstances of the marriage were of the happi st character. Mr. and Mrs Hammer expect to remain in El Paso

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Early Barlow returned yester-day from Barstow, Texas.

C. R. Morehead and family left for

Mrs. J. C. Armstrong left for Louisville, Ky., today over the G. H. Mrs E. Mahill has gone on a trip to Peneasco, N. M., to visit for some time

Lewis M. Turner, of the State Na-Rev. L. R. Millican formerly of this

ity was in town over Sunday and reurned to Van Horn today. Miss Hattie Robinson left last eve-ning for Sierra Mojada, Mexico, where

she will visit for the summer with Dr. Walsh's family.

There left by the Santa Fe yester City, Yee Chum for Hong Kong.

E. P. Brown, general southwestern agent for the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, came up from the south ye .terday morning and after a few hours visit went on west.—Albuquerque Dem-

President Foster Higgins, of the Corralitos road and Treasurer Solon Humphreys were to be in town today, and take a trip over the line tomorrow. A careful inspection of the properties

will be made. Miss Belle Wagner started for her home in Rochester, N. Y., last night. Miss Wagner came here with a brother who was in poor health. He went on to El Paso a month or two ago .-

Albuquerque Democrat. W. B. Murphy returned last night rom El Paso, where he has been spending a few days. Hesays Mr. Mulligan, who has been doing contract work on A Pleasant Occasion. the Selden dam, is making big money transferring freight around the Texas

Paso.—Rincon Weekly. Ed Sanner, an ex-brakeman, who st a hand in the yards here, about a M. Ralli in the plot to overthrow the year ago, returned to the city last Greek dynasty. his way to El Paso to attend to his \$20,000 damage suit against the Santa with the event is that the happy Fe R. R , which has been set for June

Mr. W. G. Wa'z, who comes near do ing the business of the republic in the line of antiquities and Japanese goods, is spending a few days in the city for a few months, and may permanent. Mr. Walz comes to this city ly reside here. Their many friends once each year and he finds tope this may be so. Congratulations much improvement in the last by regulating the bowels, thereby pretwelve months. He believes that there venting a thousand and one derange are great things in store for Mexico ments of the system which follow neg Wouldn't Play Sousa's Music.

Washington, May 31.—Prof. Fanciulli, leader of the marine band was ciulli, leader of the marine band was liever in E. Pase, which he thinks will be one of the business cities of the borpare by the comarrested this afternoon by the com-mandant of the marine corps for re-der some of these days. That city he old stand and has made a big reduction fusing to play marches in the grand describes as going ahead at a rapid Their secondary effect is to keep the in prices on repairs and sundries; come army procession of the old veterans rate in every direction.-Two Repub-

A Number of Spicy Telegraphic Briefs.

FOR AFTERNOON SERVICE

News From All Parts of the Globe of Different Points of General Interest to the Public, Covering Many Matters on Which People are Now Talking.

Another Sugar Investigation.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Senator Jones, of Nevada, chairman of the committee on resolutions, says that Tillman's sugar trust investigation resolution will be reported to the senate tomorrow. At first there was considerable opposition to taking any action, but as Tillman threatens another fiery speech and is backed by so many newspapers there is a feeling that the easiest way out is to have the investi-

gation proceed.

Memorial day generally is being observed here. The first feature of the day was a parade in which the military and grand army organizations partici-pated in a most elaborate exercises at of frantic attempts, grabbed onto the Arlington. President McKinley was boat bottom side up that is the boat, present. Addresses were delivered by congressman Dolliver, and Assistant Secretary of Interior Webster.

not Bascom. Thus he rode down to near the Santa Fe yards where he made a shift to get ashore. Bascom

Triple Murderer at Six.

GAINESVILLE, Fla., May riskeries Haldy a negro child of six who lives hereabouts, is a triple mur-derer. He began his career when only four years old by murdering his little sister. He tied her in the yard and set her dress on fire. A year ago tied his little brother to a bedpost stabbed him to death. News has just been re-ceived that he found his father's re-volver and shot another brother to death by blowing off his head. The CHEAP ONLY IN PRICE. boy's parents are ignorant negroes The child will be sent to an asylum.

WARREN, Mo., May 31 .- A horrible Built for business. It's murder was committed at Farmington murder was committed at Farmington by three masked robbers who killed Isaac Hill, a farmer, and his mother, aged 77. The robbers tied the aged mother hand and foot and then buried her in the bed clothing so she could make no outcry. They then attacked Hill, and a struggle followed. Bullet holes showed that Hill had fought as long as life lasted. Thus far the search for the trio of murderers has been unsuccessful.

CHICAGO, May 31.-The Chicago

over the same course.

W. D. Smedley, a 15 minute man, won the Associated Cycing club's road

Naval Academy Commencement. ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 31.-The ommencement exercises for the U. Naval Academy were inaugurated this morning with the annual reception of the board of visitors. This afternoon there was a seamanship drill and dress parade. A large number of visitors have arrived to witness the exercises which will continue throughout the

The Mexican Cattle Trade.

DEMING, N. M., May 31.—[Special.]
-At no previous time has there been such activity in the Mexican cattle trade as now. Thousands of cattle south of the Mexican border line are Lewis M. Turner, of the State National back, has returned from his trip to Santa Rosalia, Mex.

On their way to the United States markets. The prospective duty on imported cattle is largely responsible for this condition of affairs.

Spain's Efforts Fu'ile.

NEW YORK, May 31 -According to the Herald's Havana special Mr. Cal-houn's report will impress upon Mr. McKinley that Spain's efforts have been and are likely to be futile, so far as crushing the rebellion. General Lee's report will cover the Ruiz case and Calhoun, as counsel, will endorse Lee's attitude.

Noted Forger Caught.

Bowling Green, Ohio, May 31 .-Mensie, a noted check forger, who escaped from the North Baltimore jail Saturday night, was captured here this morning after a long chase. Four times his wealthy friends have come to his relief and paid various amounts to keep him out of the penitentiary.

Drowned Trying to Aid Companions. LITCHFIELD, Mass., May 31 .- A. Katz and William Nolan, two traveling salesmen, representing a Chicago art concern, lost their lives by drowning in Lake Pontoosuz yesterday. They were endeavoring to rescue two companions whose boat had capsized, when the men met their death.

All Against Greece. LONDON, May 31 .- With Germany encouraging the sultan to hold on to The saly and other powers seemingly acquiescent, a greater humiliation is apparently in store for Greece. A

rumor from St. Petersburg implicates

Preached Against the Senate. NEW YORK, May 31.—At the mem-orial services in Washington Square Methodist Episcopal church last night. Rev. Dr. Anderson took for his subject "Our National Heritage," and attacked the United States senate as a scandal to the country.

liver pill, than blue pills or colomel bowe's open and regular-not to con-

Fred Bascomb and John Shyrock,

wo well known Las Cruces men took it into their heads to make the trip to this city in a boat, and they did; but

care after a necessarily prolonged study of the face of nature and the burning up of their countenances from an overabundance of sunlight. Shyrock con-cluded that he looked too beautiful after the trip, and fearful lest all the girls in town might go struck on him, he concluded to remain at Courchesne's until a liberal and persistent applica-tion of cream had bleached out his profile. Eascomb, however, concluded to continue, and although warned by Mr. Courchesne not to attempt under

He won't try it again, not by a large and increasing majority and the back counties yet to hear from. Bascom has a more or less clear recollection of sliding over that dam at a lightning gait. Then after that—well, he couldn't tell whether he was skating o'er the zenith on a fleecy cloud, or whether he was making a wild dive for the center of the earth. The boat went under and Bascom shot out of it into the raging torrent, and when he came up like a cork the boat hit him a clip in the eye and it is now of a beautifully variated hue. The boat kept bobbing up and down; so did Bascom. But he held onto life like death onto the beel is bereft of all further desire for glory along this line. He was also bereft of nearly all his clothes, his watch, his valise and every thing else he had in that boat. However, he is now resting easy, as it were, and declares with more or less emphasis that he will never, never, no never again do such a thing as to run the gauntlet of the water works dam. Mr Bascom is now in the hands of his friends, and Shyrock is smiling—not at the bar, but up his

How it was Observed in Different Sec tions of the Country.

was marked today by an immense mili ration of the event.

the down town streets.
BOSTON, May 31.—The ances today in this city was the dedica-tion of the monument erects d in memory of Colonel Robert Gould Shaw, who fell in battle at the head of the first colored regiment mustered into the

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 31.—This is the eighth anniversary of the Johns-town flood and the town is in mourning for the lives of the flood victims. Graves were covered with flowers.

DENVER, May 31 .- Enormous crowds of strangers, a fine parade with regulars from Fort Logan, were the features, and a twenty-five mile bicycle road race the attractions here this morning. The bike race was won by Alex. Struthers, of Grand Junction, Col., in presence of six thousand enthusiastic wheelmen. There were 130 starters. Time 1:04. This afternoon the summer resorts open for the sea-

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.

Seismatic Disturbances Were Felt Today in Many Places. WASHINGTON, May 31 .- A distinct sbook of an earthquake was felt here this afternoon and buildings shook perceptibly.

CINCINNATI, May 31.—An earth-quake shock was felt Cincinnati at 1 was plainly felt in the tall buildings. A great wave swept across the lake. COLUMBUS, Obio, May 31 .-- A decided earthquake shock was felt here early this afternoon.

Darrant to Die.

SAN QUENTIN, Cal., May 31.—The mother of Theo. Durrant will witness the hanging of her son. The condemned man declares he wants to die in the presence of his parents and will insist on their attending his execution as his uests. The law gives him this privilege and Mr. and Mrs. Dorrant will take advantage of it. Durrant says he will die like a man. He scorns the idea of suicide.

ELWOOD, Ind., May 31 .- The Amercan Plate Glass factory, at Alexandria,

and then stabbed him through the arm. The quarrel arose over assertion Palma was invited to the state departby Gross that Cole had insulted his ment to discuss any question whatever wife when she was a widow. wife when she was a widow.

The ball, complimentry to the gradcourt house Wednesday, June 2.

red Bascomb of Las Cruces Goes Over

the Dam Above This City.

thereby hangs a tale.

They reached Courchesne's last evening safe and sound, right side up with

any circumstances to go over the dam above the water company's old pump house, Bascom tried it.

DECORATION DAY.

CHICAGO, May 31.-Memorial Day tary parade, participated in by Iccal grand army posts and militia. The ce-remonies at the cemeteries took place yesterday. Several public meetings will be held this evening in commemo-

All Chicago has assumed a holiday garb today in honor of Decoration Day. Everybody who had a wheel rode it and even some of the old veterans turned out in bike suits. In the after-noon 10,000 men, including several companies from Fort Sheridan, paraded

service of the union from a northern

The Grand Army memorial services were also held to day. Thousands of

strangers are here.
INDIANAPOLIS, May 31.—The annual Decoration Day read race was run here today. Louis Gordon with five minutes handicap was the winner. W. J. Heim and Mat Paxton collided during the race and were badly injured, perhaps

o'clock this afternoon. The vibration

Will Resume Work.

re-umed operations this morning, after four month's idleness, caused by its being destroyed by fire. It has been relitted with machinery and will run full expacity with 400 hands. It is the leading independent plant in the coun-

Carved Over a Woman.

A Short Session. WASHINGTON, May 31.-The house was in session only fifteen minutes today and a recess was taken until noor

all over this section this morning and The ball, complimentry to the grad-uates of '97, will take place at the Boston, Pittsburg and New York base ball games were postponed.

WE FULFILL OUR PROMISE!

Having promised you a surprise in toilet soaps we now place on sale 500 doz. J. S. Kirks celebrated toilet soap which must be sold before we move into our new quarters, and those who come first will secure the best assortment. These soaps are superior in quality to other toilet soaps at double the price. We quote below prices on the following well

known brands: Buttermilk Soap, 12 cakes usual price, 40c,

Now reduced to 25c. Coliseum Soap,

Usual price 10c per cake, now reduced to six cakes for 25c. Dairy Queen,

now reduced to 20c per box, or three boxes for 50c.

White Palace, The finest toilet soap made, absolutely pure and highly perfumed, usual price 50c per box of 3 cakes,

Usual price 30c per box of 3 cakes,

now reduced to 25c per box. Prairie Lily, Another fine toilet soap, usual price

now reduced to 25c per box.

We desire to especially call your attention to Kirk's famous White Cloud bath and toilet soap, three large cakes for 25c, and a silver-plated teaspoon with every

112 East Overland St.

Several Children Killed by a

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Denver Railway Train.

A Brewer, While Riding With Eight Children, is Run Into at a Railway Crossing and Four Were Killed and all Badly Injured-No Watchman at the Crossing the Cause.

DENVER, May 31.—There is mourning in many households today over the terrible railroad accident that occurred here last night. Good natured Henry Marsau, a brewery workman, took out eightchildren in his roomy buggy for a ride after dark and he cannot clearly tell how it happened, but an incoming Denver & Rio Grande Manitou special struck the buggy where the tracks cross First avenue and two little ones were killed instantly, one has died since, and at least three more are so mangled that death is inevitable. There was no watchman at the crossing though it is a danger point for accidents of this nature.

The following are the victims at the norgue: George Bangerd, aged two years. Willie Bangerd, aged five years. Bertha Schoneweis, aged three

Etta Spreaker, aged seven years.

At the county hospital is Freddy

Marsau, aged seven years, skull fract-ured and chest crushed, will probably At St. Luke's hospital is Otto Schoneweis, skull fractured and will prob-

sau, aged five years, head severely injured and Elsie Marsau aged three years slightly injured. At the city jail hospital ward is Denny Marsan, aged forty years, who drove the wagon. He is severely cut

and bruised, supposed to be seriously.

At Schoreweis' house is Emil Mar-

Spanish Minister Mad. WASHINGTON, May 31.—Spanish Minister de Lome bas taken umbrage PITTSBURG, May 31.—Theodore Gross and William Cole quarreled this morning and Cole carved Gross with a bread knife around the head five times the fact that Senor Tomas Estrada Palma has been granted an audience by Secretary Sherman. In discussing the matter he said: "We consider it

cabled to every court in Europe. The act is very detrimental to Spanish No Base Ball Game. NEW YORK, May 31 .- It was raining Rehearsal of "Pinafore."

Tonight at Chopin hall the entire cast and chorus of H. M. S. "Pinafore" will meet for rehearsal.

Now that the cast is complete, the stage-manager is prepared to take up the work in detail, giving close attention to the requirements of the score as laid down by the composer. The cast and chorus is an excellent one, and in the opinion of the gentlemen in charge of the production, should give this opera in a thoroughly legitimate and artistic manner. The cast is as

Josephine.....The captain's daughter
Miss Marie Shalton
Hebe.....Sir Joseph's first cousin
Little Buttercup..A Portsmouth bum Miss Emma Ullman

Captain Corcoran....Commanding "Pinafore" L. Welch Ralph Rackstraw......Able seaman H. Beach Dick Deadeye......Able seaman
Tom Weston Bill Bobstay......Boatswain
H. Irvine
Bob Becket.....Boatswain's mate
Dave Payne Sergeant of marines. . H. M. S. Pinafore

J. C. Bushong
Tom Tucker.......Midshipmate
By Himselph
Pinafore's Professor..... Accompanist Miss Florence Beall Killed Wife and Self. ANTONIO, May 31.-Buds Franks, a horse trainer, wound up a spree yesterday by murdering his wife and then killing himself. He ran the woman out of the house and shot her four times, as she fell he sent a bullet through his own brain.



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